UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

DUSA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. and QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY AT KINGSTON,

Plaintiffs,

v.

NEW ENGLAND COMPOUNDING PHARMACY, INC.,

Defendant.

Civil Action No. 04-12703 NMG

JOINT MOTION TO EXTEND TIME TO RESPOND TO WRITTEN DISCOVERY

Now come the parties in the above captioned matter and hereby move this Honorable Court to extend the deadline to respond to written discovery from December 31, 2005 to January 13, 2006.

In further support of this motion the parties state as follows:

- 1. On July 7, 2005, this Honorable Court ordered that all discovery requests be responded to by December 31, 2005.
- 2. The parties have recently instituted settlement discussions, which are ongoing.
- 3. In order to allow the settlement discussions to continue with out the distraction of meeting the December 31, 2005 deadline, the parties request that the deadline to respond to written discovery be extended for two (2) weeks until January 13, 2006.
- 4. The parties shall also be permitted until January 13, 2006 to file all motions to compel and/or other pleadings arising from written discovery requests.
- 5. This is the parties' first request of this nature.
- 6. Neither side shall be prejudiced by this extension and because neither side requests that any other deadlines be extended, granting this motion shall not delay

the disposition of this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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ORDER	
AND NOW, this day of	, 2005, upon consideration of the
Joint Motion to Extend Time to Respond to W	ritten Discovery, it is hereby
ORDERED and DECREED that the motion	is GRANTED and the deadline to
respond to written discovery be extended for t	two (2) weeks until January 13, 2006 .
The parties shall also be permitted until Janu s	ary 13, 2006 to file all motions to
compel and/or other pleadings arising from w	ritten discovery requests.
	SO ORDERED.
	Nathaniel M. Gorton United States District Judge
Dated:, 2005	